2. Each bidder shall before he is permitted to bid, be required to furnish a solvency certificate as under the Tangadi Sale Rules, and deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (rupees fifty) as earnest money with the officer conducting the sale; the deposit will be returnable to him at the close of the sale, if his bid is not accepted. The person whose bid is accepted shall immediately after the close of the sale pay 25 per cent of the bid amount less the deposit already paid, failing which, the right will be resold or worked departmentally at the risk of the defaulting bidder. He will be liable for the loss, if any, that may result by such resale or departmental working which will be recoverable from him as arrears of Land Revenue, but he shall not participate in any gain.

3. Defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sale.

4. All timber yielding trees marked by the department will be sold kinduvar for a lumpsum amount for the whole coupe.

5. Power is reserved to the District Forest Officer or such other officer conducting the sale as may be deputed by the District Forest Officer to accept or reject any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

6. Within a week from the date of intimation regarding the confirmation of the sale the person whose bid is accepted, shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 (fifty) or 25 per cent of the sale amount whichever is less for each coupe as security towards the due fulfilment of his contract. He shall also pay within that period the remaining 75 per cent of the contract amount due by him and shall execute an agreement, on a stamped paper of proper value, accepting the above terms and the terms specified below, failing which, the amount already paid will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold or worked departmentally at his risk as noted in clause (2) *supra*. The security deposit or the balance thereof as may remain over shall be repayable to the contractor on his producing proof relieving him of any liability under the contract.

The following are the further conditions to which the contractor should bind himself.

(*a*) That he shall fell and remove the timber trees purchased by him before the 15th June 1929.

(*b*) That he shall make the fellings of the trees in a methodical manner from one side of the coupe.

(*c*) That each consignment of timber shall be covered by a passport issued by the Range Officer or any other officer deputed by the District Forest Officer in this behalf.

(*d*) That if any tree, shrub or growth reserved by the department is cut, he shall pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*e*) That he shall abide by the rules of the department as regards the kindling of the fire and shall hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*f*) That no operation shall take place in the forest after sunset and before sunrise.

(*g*) That he shall not sublet the contract to anybody except with the written sanction of the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) That he shall have no right whatsoever over the coupe and over the timber paid for but left unremoved in any of the coupes, after 30th June 1929.

(*i*) That he shall maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the number of trees felled and the outturn of timber resulting therefrom and shall keep it open for the examination of Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*j*) That for any breach of any of the conditions of the contract by the contractor or his agents, the contract shall be void at the option of the District Forest Officer and that the latter may, after issuing to the contractor a notice of the cancellation of the contract enforce forfeiture of all or any part of the deposit and shall resell the right or work it departmentally at the risk of the contractor as in clause (2) *supra*. If the deposit or part thereof is so forfeited, it shall be immediately made good by the contractor.

A. V. KESAVIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 8th September 1928.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collection and removal of honge seeds and leaves and tupre leaves, the former only from State Forests and Amrut Mahal Kavals pertaining to Shimoga Division and the latter from all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved Lands and Plantations in the undermentioned taluks for the two years 1928-29 and 1929-30, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, Sub-Division Officer, Shimoga Sub-Division or the Range Officer of the Range. The sale will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Conservator of Forests as the case may be.

1. No person will be allowed to bid unless he deposits with the sale conducting officer an earnest money of Rs. 10 which in the case of all unsuccessful bidders will be duly returned after the close of the sale. No defaulters will be permitted to bid for the right.

2. The highest bidder shall immediately after the close of the sale, pay up one-fourth sale amount together with the Local, Railway and Education Cesses, on the entire sale amount inclusive of the initial deposit of Rs. 10 and shall further pay into Government Treasury, the balance of the three-fourths of the sale amount within the sunset of the fifteenth day from the date of sale, or if that day happens to be a Government holiday, before the sunset of the next office day, failing which, the sale will be cancelled and a resale held at the risk of the original purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may occur, which will be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Forest Regulation, but shall not participate in any profit that may result. Further all the money so far paid shall be forfeited to Government.

3. Within fifteen days from the date of confirmation of the sale, the purchaser shall execute a muchalika on a duly stamped paper and shall further deposit in the Government Savings Bank an amount equal to one-fourth of the sale amount or Rs. 25 whichever is less, duly pledged to the District Forest Officer, failing which, the sale will be cancelled and further action taken in accordance with the above conditions.

4. The other conditions will be the same as those applicable in the case of sales of Minor Forest Produce.

Name of taluk	Name of hobli	Place of sale	Kind of produce	Date of sale
Shimoga ..	Whole Taluk or by hblis as may be deemed fit by the sale conducting officer.	District Forest Office, Shimoga.	Tupre leaves ..	26th September 1928
Do ..	Do ..	Do	Honge leaves and seeds.	Do
Tirthahalli ..	Mandagadde ..	Mandagadde ..	Tupre leaves ..	Do
	Humchadakatte ..	Humchadakatte ..	Do ..	28th September 1928
	Other hoblis ..	Thirthahalli ..	Do ..	25th do
Honnali ..	Whole taluk ..	Honnali ..	Tupre leaves, honge seeds and leaves.	28th do
Kumsi Sub-Taluk ..	Whole Sub-Taluk ..	Ayanur ..	Honge leaves and seeds.	30th do
Nagar ..	Part of taluk included in Kippanpet Range.	Do ..	Do ..	30th do

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 4th September 1928.

It is hereby notified for general public information that the teak pieces described below were found lying unclaimed in the compound of Channabasappa of Muddanahalli, Shikarpur Taluk.

Any person, having any claim to these logs, may present a written statement of such claim to the District Forest Officer, Sagar Division, within one month from the date of the publication of this notification; and establish the same to the satisfaction of the above Officer, failing which, the ownership of the timber shall vest in Government under section 42 of the Mysore Forest Regulation.

The logs are now lying in the custody of Channabasappa, Patel of Muddanahalli, Hossur Hobli, Shikarpur Taluk.

Taluk, Hobli and Village	Range	Kind of log	Measurement of logs				C.ft.	Remarks
			Length		Girth			
			Ft.	in.	Ft.	in.		
Shikarpur Taluk	Shikarpur ...	Teak (1) ...	8	3	1	9	2	The logs bear no marks
		,, (2) ...	7	8	1	10	2	
		,, (3) ...	11	9	1	9	2	
Hossur Hobli ..		,, (4) ...	8	0	1	10	2	
		,, (5) ...	9	0	1	5	1	
Muddanahalli village.		,, (6) ...	9	8	1	8	2	
		,, (7) ...	5	8	1	10	2	
	Total ..	7 logs	...		...		13 C.ft.	

B. MADHAVA RAO,
District Forest Officer.